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## **Examiner Interview Summary**

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A telephonic interview was held on July 18, 2006 between Examiner Rollins and the undersigned.

During the interview, proposed amendments were orally presented to overcome the rejection to the claims under 35 USC § 112, second paragraph, due to recitations to both a predetermined diameter of a portion of the claimed apparatus and the diameter of the hole in the dura made by the apparatus. The proposed amendment deleted reference the diameter of the hole in the dura and substituted a comparative reference between the hemispherical diameter of the tip of the stylet and the outside diameter of the catheter.

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